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Appellant files this Amendment along with Appellant's Appeal Brief, as provided for in MPEP 1207, in order to remove issues from appeal and avoid a remand by the Board to consider such issues. This amendment is made to correct a minor antecedent basis issue in claim 22. The Examiner has indicated that this Amendment to claim 22 would be entered in his Advisory Action mailed August 8, 2003.

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I hereby certify that the enclosed Second Amendment with Appeal is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Appeal Brief - Patents, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on September 22, 2003.

  
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